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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 22, 2010, Applicants hereby request that the examination of the instant application be continued on the basis of the claims submitted herewith. A formal Request for Continued Examination is being filed and the requisite fee is being paid concurrently herewith. The Final Office Action sets a three-month shortened statutory period for reply to expire on October 22, 2011. Applicants hereby request an extension of time for three months and are concurrently filing a formal Request for Extension of Time, together with all requisite fees therefor. If for any reason the Request for Extension of Time is not associated with the file, or the fee submitted herewith is deemed insufficient for any reason, the present submission should be interpreted to include the requisite Request for Extension of Time, and the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge

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any fees necessary to preserve the pendency of this application to deposit account No. 19-0089.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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